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Beginning 2003–04 postsecondary students who took remedial courses during their enrollment, by type of first institution: 2003–09 (Percent)

Type of first institution	One or more remedial courses in any field	One or more remedial mathematics courses
All beginning postsecondary students	50.4	42.2
4-year institution ^a	37.2	29.2
Highly selective	22.4	15.0
Moderately selective	37.1	29.4
Minimally selective or open admission	53.4	44.7
2-year institution	65.4	57.1

^a A small proportion of students who first attended private, for-profit 4-year institutions were excluded from the estimates that are based on institution selectivity because information on the selectivity of these institutions was not available.

SOURCE: National Science Foundation, National Center for Science and Engineering Statistics, special tabulations (2012) of 2003–04 Beginning Postsecondary Students Longitudinal Study, Second Follow-up (BPS:04/09) and Postsecondary Education Transcript Study of 2009 (PETS:09), National Center for Education Statistics.

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